

ALL SECONDARY PRINCIPALS/TEACHERS: Social Sciences Model United Nations Conference Training and Registration Information

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**Audience:** Principals/APs (Middle), Principals/APs (Senior High), All Teachers

**Due Date:** Oct 06, 2015

**Meeting Date:** Oct 08, 2015

To announce an upcoming training session to participate in the District's Model United Nations Conference and provide registration information for the conference.

- The Department of Social Sciences is pleased to announce a ½-day training for interested Middle and Senior High School Social Science teachers on how to prepare their students to participate in a Model United Nations (MUN) Conference.
- This training will take place on **Thursday, October 8, 2015 at Shenandoah Middle School** – 1950 SW 19<sup>th</sup> Street, Miami, Fl. 33145.
- Participants should report to the **Media Center**.
- The training will commence at 1:30 p.m. and conclude at 4:30 p.m.
- Substitute coverage is NOT needed as Thursday, October 8, 2015 is an early release day for secondary schools.
- To register for this professional development opportunity, please log into the MyLearningPlan through the Employee Portal, search for the course titled “**Model United Nations Training.**”
- Due date to register for this training is October 6, 2015.
- **2016 Model United Nations Conference Information:**
- The District's Model United Nations Conferences will take place on Saturday, February 20, 2016 for Senior High Schools and Saturday February 27, 2016 for Middle Schools at Miami-Dade College North Campus, 11380 NW 27<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Miami, Florida 33167.
- The District's Department of Social Science is pleased to continue its partnership with Foundations for Leadership, in providing and promoting the Model United Nations Conference.
- Teachers interested in bringing a team to this year's conference can access the registration website below:
  - <http://www.foundationsforleadership.org/#%21Miami%20Model%20UN%202015/cknm>.
- Additional information that can be accessed by the above link is:
  - Committee topics for both Middle and High School Committees; Schedule of Events; Country Assignments and Background Guides; and Position Paper Due Date Information.
- **Please note the following specifics regarding the registration process:**
  - The following fees are required to be paid to participate in this year's District MUN Conference:
  - School Fee: \$125.00
  - Per Student (delegate) fee: \$15.00
  - **Conference Fees (School Fee and Student Fees) can be submitted to the Department of Social Sciences, checks made payable to the National Bicentennial Competition and must be received by January 15, 2016.**
- Transportation to and from the MUN Conference will be provided free of charge by the Department of Social Sciences.
- Should you have questions or need additional information, please contact Mr. Robert C. Brazofsky, Executive Director, Department of Social Sciences, [rbrazofsky@dadeschools.net](mailto:rbrazofsky@dadeschools.net) or see the contact information listed below.

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